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In re: Patent Application of:)	
Gunderson et al.)	Examiner: Bertagna, Angela Marie
Serial No.: 10/600,634)	Group Art Unit: 1637
Filing Date: June 20, 2003)	Confirmation No.: 7176
Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS)	
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Transmitted herewith for filing, in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 14, 2006, are the following:

- ☒ Response to Restriction Requirement (2 pages).
- ☒ Applicants claim small entity status.

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PENDING CLAIMS

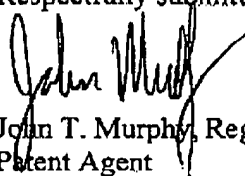
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 14, 2006, consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

REMARKS

Claims 1-77 are pending and are subject to a restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121. The Office alleges that the claims are directed to four distinct inventions, as set forth below: